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(37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b))

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Dear Sir:

With regard to the above-identified application, the items of information listed on the enclosed Form 1449 are brought to the attention of the Examiner. At least some of the references were recently cited in an International Search Report mailed October 27, 2004.

This statement should be considered because it is submitted before the mailing date of a first Office Action on-the-merits. Accordingly, no fee is due for consideration of the items listed on the enclosed Form 1449.

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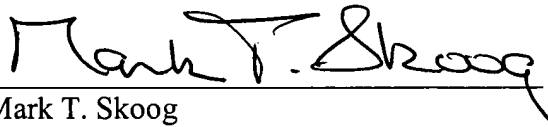
Consideration of the items listed is respectfully requested. Pursuant to the provisions of M.P.E.P. 609, it is requested that the Examiner return a copy of the attached Form 1449, marked as being considered and initialed by the Examiner, to the undersigned with the next official communication.

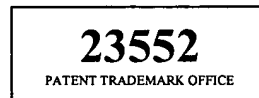
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FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS							
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	0 413 616 A1	04/02/1990	EP				
	1 323 670	07/18/1973	GB				
	1 397 245	06/11/1975	GB				
	WO 02/36727 A1	05/10/2002	PCT				

OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)		
		Copy of International Search Report dated October 27, 2004

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